

*With worms, of course*

# Doug will go fishing at Canada Science Fair

Grade 8 Crosby Heights student Doug Case is going fishing at the National Science Fair on May 13 and the bait he's using to land a prize is worms, naturally.

Doug's project on the effects of various stimulæ on annelida (earthworms) won him a first place finish at the York County Science Fair three weeks ago and it was selected among four to represent the York Board at the nationals in London, Ontario.



DOUG CASE

He has been entering school-level science fairs since he attended Grade 2. Two years ago he won firsts at both the school fair and the Area finals and was an entrant at the County finals.

This year, he decided to study an animal as part of his exhibit. The rule is, if you want to use live animals in your demonstrations, they must be invertebrates or those without any developed backbone.

"Otherwise, I guess we

more careful with the second batch I got from a bait supplier in Toronto," he said.

So far, he has studied the effects of light (bright and dim), electricity (using a 6-volt battery) and various juices (apple and lemon, to start) on his slithering friends. He is in the process of gathering more details about the worms to help impress the judges at the national fair.

Doug's younger brother Tim, 11, is also a science fair buff. He won two first prizes this year — one at Crosby Heights' school fair and one at the Area 3 fair — for a display about electric currents.

He also made it to the County fair but there's no hard feelings between the two because Doug happened to win.

As part of the exhibit, Doug built a "wormery" in which he can study the behavior of the worms. He put it together out of wood, stained it and filled it with loam, sand and leaves. He's just completed a new backdrop for it, which he'll take along to London. It measures about 24" x 8" and has a glass top.

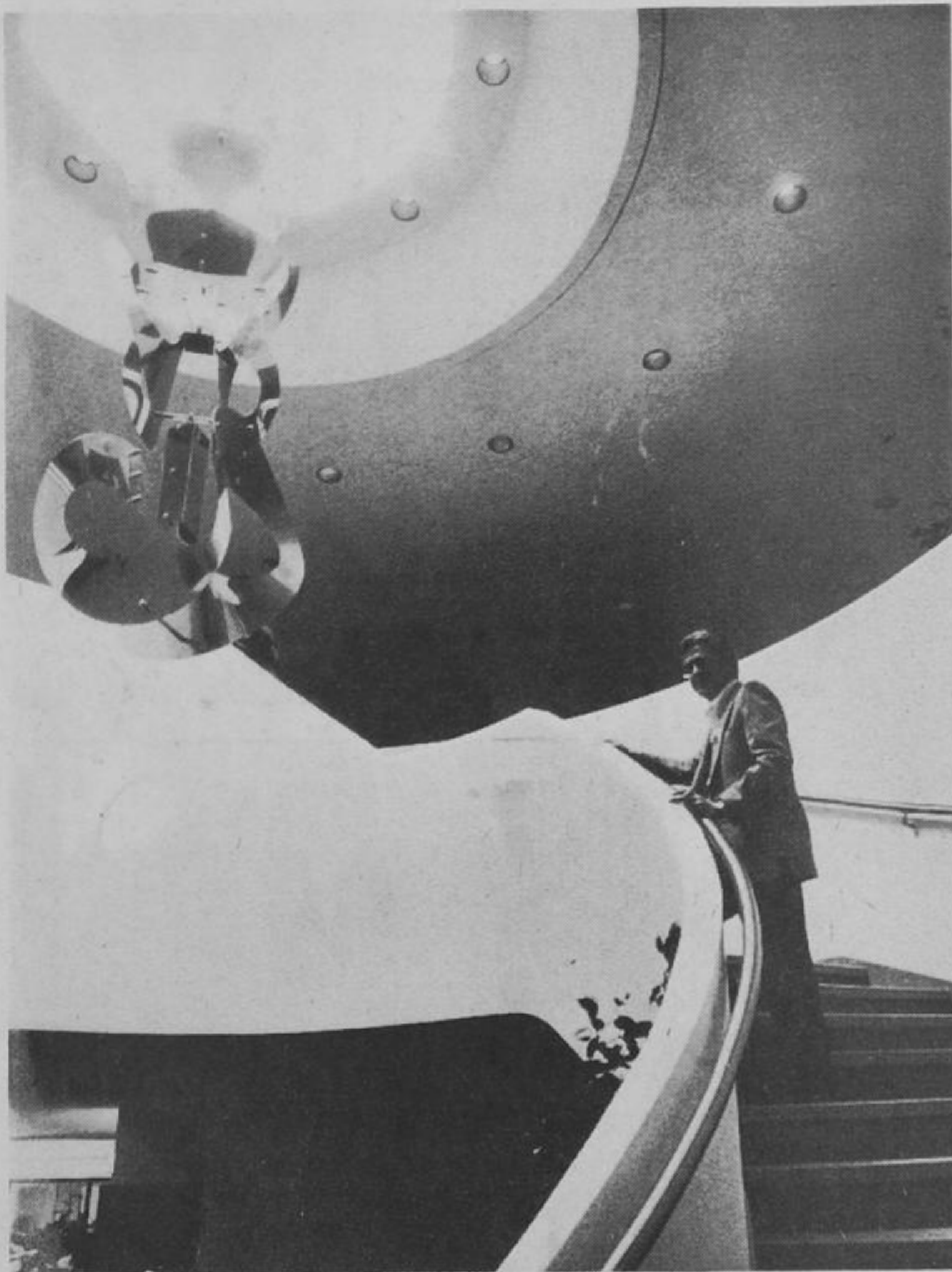
He's not too sure what to do with the worms when he's done with them.

"They only last so long you know. Maybe I'll take them fishing."

could have some kids bringing in horses or other large animals," said Doug, half in jest.

During the winter months, when he got his first set of worms, Doug figured his basement was a cool enough place to store them. One day, he went down to start some experiments and found they had died.

"I forgot to put them in the fridge and they just melted like jelly. I was



Looking more like the entrance to a grand theatre, this circular staircase is only one feature of the \$5-million Tri-Bell Country Club, located on Bathurst Street in Richmond Hill. Enjoying the facility is club president Ernie Lustig. (Liberal photo by Bruce Hogg)

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The Town of Markham Public Libraries announces a change in library hours effective May 1, 1979, at three of its branches:

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## York councillors get raise

It was no means unanimous, but York Region's administrative committee approved a six per cent salary increase on Thursday for the 17 members of regional council and the chairman.

The pay increase requires regional council approval tomorrow before it — takes affect.

Each councillor would receive \$10,508, up from \$9,914 in 1978. One-third of a councillor's salary is considered expenses and is tax-free.

Regional Chairman Bob Forhan would receive \$41,048, up from \$38,725 in 1978. One-third of the chairman's salary also is designated tax-free expenses.

Six of the region's nine mayors attended the meeting.

The region's administration committee comprises the nine mayors.

Richmond Hill Mayor David Schiller suggested that councillors should receive less than six per

cent because elected representatives should set an example of restraint.

He said that in Richmond Hill, councillors will receive only a three per cent raise this year.

Mayor Ray Twinney of Newmarket disagreed.

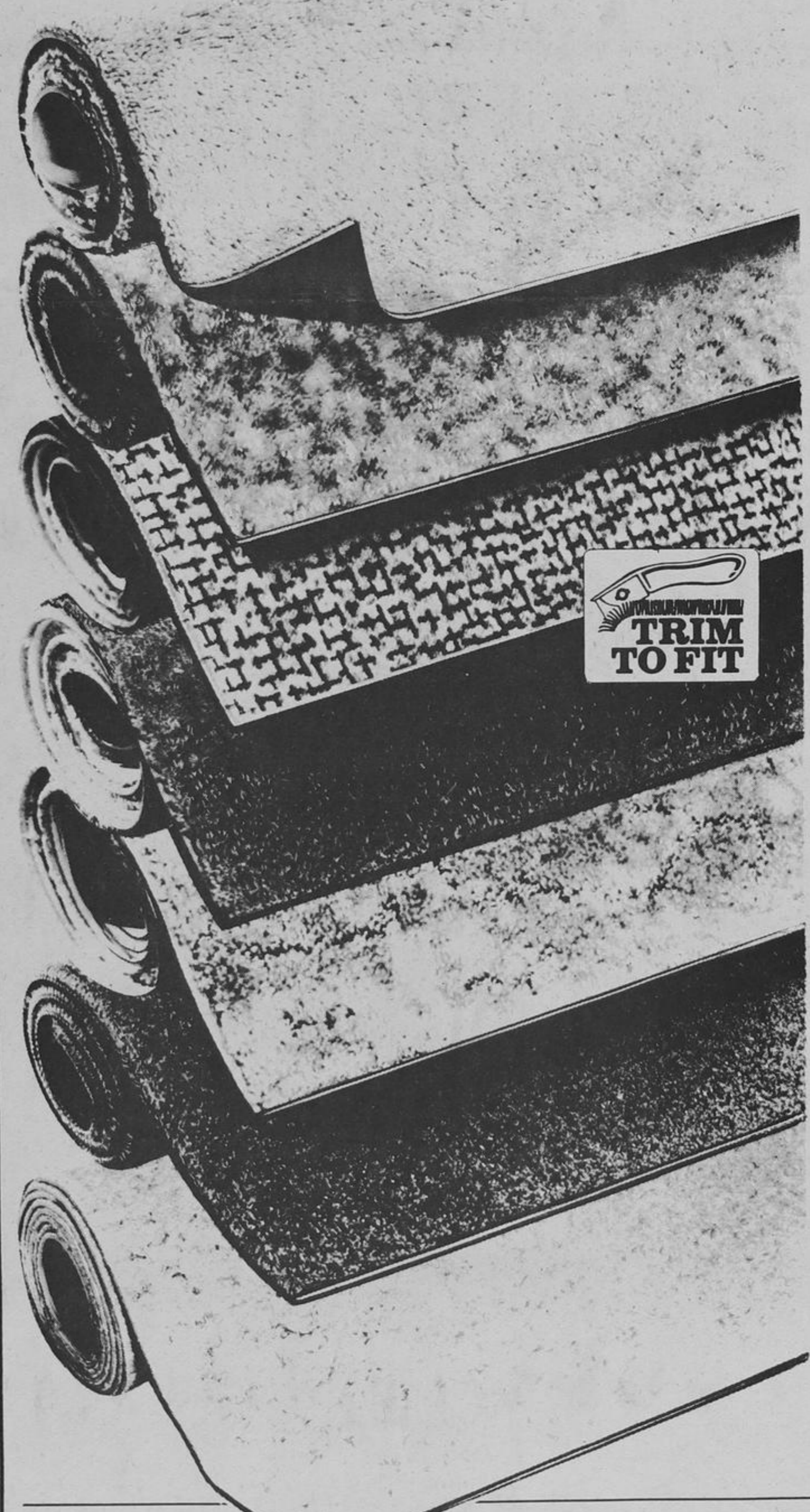
He said the increase is reasonable and that regional councillors — in York are still falling behind their counterparts in Peel and Durham regions.

Georgina Mayor Joe Dales wondered why councillors needed raises at all. He said Georgina Council had decided not to increase the councillor's stipend in 1979.

When the vote was taken the proposal was tied at 3-3. The committee chairman Bob Forhan cast the deciding vote to recommend the increase.

Six per cent was included in the 1979 budget for salary increases to regional councillors and the chairman, the committee was told.

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